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MULTIMEDIA UNIVERSITY

FINAL EXAMINATION

TRIMESTER 2, 2018/2019

USL2612 SPORTS LAW

(All Sections/ Groups)

15 MARCH 2019

Reading Time: 9.00 a.m. – 9.15 a.m.
(15 Minutes)

Answering Time: 9.15 a.m. – 12.15 p.m.
(3 Hours)

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1. Students will have **fifteen minutes** during which they may read the paper and make rough notes **ONLY** in their question paper. Students then have the remaining **THREE HOURS** in which to answer the questions.
 2. This Question paper consists of 2 pages with 4 Questions only.
 3. Attempt question 1A **or** 1B. Questions **2-4** are compulsory. The distribution of the marks for each question is given.
 4. Students are not allowed to bring in any statutes into the Examination Hall.
 5. Please write all your answers in the Answer Booklet provided.

ATTEMPT EITHER: -

QUESTION 1A

What are the factors contributing to Tortious Liability in Sports?

Outline the principles that results in an injury in a sports related incident under tort.

(Total: 25 Marks)

OR

QUESTION 1B

a) Trespass to person in sports is classified under Intentional Tort. With reference to case laws, explain the concepts that amount to an Intentional Tort in Sports.

(15 marks)

b) State the defences available where a person is alleged to have committed offences under Intentional Tort in Sports.

(10 marks)

(Total 25 Marks)

STUDENT MUST ATTEMPT ALL OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS: -

QUESTION 2

John Texon a professional footballer, suffered a broken arm when he was tackled by the defendant during a league match. The injury was extensive and required months of hospitalisation and his career was in jeopardy.

There was a clear breach of the defendant's duty of care as there was an obvious reckless disregard for John's safety and the conduct of the defendant was far below the expectation which might reasonably be expected from anyone playing the game at a professional level.

In the context of criminal liability in sports explain the principles with regard to fatal offences and non-fatal offences.

(Total: 25 Marks)

QUESTION 3

Performance enhancing drugs have often been a challenge to International Sports Bodies that regulate the use of these substances. The World Anti-Doping Code (WADA) attempts to bring consistency to anti-doping rules, regulations and policies worldwide.

Explain the 10 anti-doping rule violation and demonstrate the necessity of these anti-doping violation rules

(Total: 25 Marks)

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QUESTION 4

Section 23 and 38 (2) of the Sports Development Act (SDA) 1997 regulates the manner in which a sports dispute be may resolved.

Give a critical analysis of these sections with regard to settlement of a sports dispute.

(Total: 25 Marks)

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